

# California Tax Credit Allocation Committee Annual Operating Expense (AOE) Form Electronic Filing Form 2013

### INTRODUCTION

Welcome to the electronic Annual Operating Expense (AOE) Form. This electronic form is a Microsoft Excel spreadsheet that will expedite entry of project data into CTCAC's database. You must have Microsoft Excel in order to use this form. One spreadsheet must be completed for each property in the initial federal compliance period as well as those in the extended use period.

- ! Please do not make any changes to the spreadsheet or convert the Excel file to another file format.
- ! Please submit only one worksheet per workbook.
- ! Please complete entire form, if not applicable please include a 0.

### **GETTING STARTED**

Go to <a href="http://www.treasurer.ca.gov/ctcac/compliance/aoc/index.asp">http://www.treasurer.ca.gov/ctcac/compliance/aoc/index.asp</a> and scroll down the page to the link: <a href="https://www.treasurer.ca.gov/ctcac/compliance/aoc/index.asp">Annual Operating Expense Form</a>.

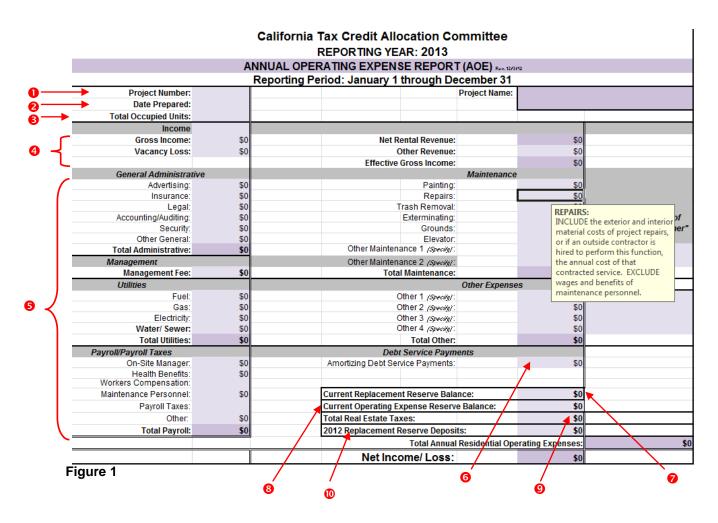
- For Microsoft Internet Explorer Users, right click on the link and choose "Save Target As..." and save the file to your hard drive.
- For Mozilla Firefox Users, right click on the link and choose "Save Link As..." and save the file to your hard drive.

Open the file from the computer's hard-drive and enter the required information (see detailed instructions on the following pages).

If you have any questions or difficulties using this electronic form, please contact Quang Le at (916) 654-6340.

# **Data Entry Information**

The AOE spreadsheet is protected to reduce problems associated with format changes and addition and deletion of cells. Input only the data requested in the light purple cells. If an item does not apply, use the numeric zero (0). DO NOT use any text, such as, "n/a", "none", etc. Each subtotal (dark purple colored field) has a calculated formula (that is protected) and will populate automatically. The following instructions will help you complete the AOE form accurately and correctly.



# Project Number:

Select the CTCAC number from the dropdown box. The box to the far right of the project number (light yellow) will automatically be filled in with the project name.

# ! Important

You can only make a selection from the dropdown list box. You cannot type information in this field. If your CTCAC number does not appear on the list, contact the owner to confirm the correct CTCAC number. If this does not resolve the problem, contact Quang Le at (916) 654-6340.

**2** Date Prepared:

Enter the date the AOE is being created. If the entry of the AOE extends over more than one day, the date the AOE was completed should be used. Use a standard date format (mm/dd/yyyy).

Total Occupied Units Select the number of occupied units (from dropdown) as of December 31, 2013. It should be the same as the number found on the Annual Owner's Certification (AOC) - item xviii.

Income:

Enter the gross income, vacancy loss, and other revenue generated during the reporting year for the property in all the light purple fields.

6 Expenses:

Enter the costs incurred during the reporting year for the property in the fields. The fields have been set-up to accept numeric values only.

Please remember to exclude costs (from the "Other Expenses" section) which are considered "below the line item" operating expenses. Several types of expenses that should be excluded from the "other expenses" section of this report are:

 Tenant services, property taxes and/or propertyrelated fees and assessments, replacement reserves, operating reserves, debt service payments and partnership management fees.

The "Maintenance" and "Other Expenses" categories have fields for other items that are not listed on the form (see figure 1). These fields should be utilized for miscellaneous costs (excluding costs identified above), etc.

6 Debt Service:

Enter the annual debt service payments for the fully amortizing loans excluding the subordinate loans (exclude deferred or residual receipt loans).

CurrentReplacementReserve Balance:

Enter the balance in the replacement reserve account as of December 31, 2013, for the subject property.

8 Current Operating Expense Reserve Balance:

Enter the balance in the operating expense reserve account balance as of December 31, 2013, for the subject property.

Real Estate Taxes: Enter the annual property tax payments made during the

reporting year for the subject property. Please exclude the

fees paid to the Franchise Tax Board.

**2013 Replacement** Enter the annual replacement for reserve deposits made

**Reserve Deposits:** during the reporting year for the subject property.

**Information Box:** The light tan information box can be moved out of the way

by simply clicking and dragging. (See Figure 2 below)

General Administrative		Maintenance			
Advertising:	\$0	ADVERTISING:	Painting:		\$0
Insurance:	\$0	INCLUDE all cost associated	Repairs:		\$0
Legal:	\$0	with attacting tenants to the	Trash Removal:		\$0
Accounting/Auditing:	\$0	project. Examples are	Exterminating:		\$0
Security:		newspaper and magazine	Grounds:		\$0
Other General:		adds, referral service, etc.	Elevator:		\$0
Total Administrative:	\$0	EXCLUDE rent concessions.	er Maintenance 1 (Specify):		\$0

Figure 2

### **FINISHING A PROJECT**

After correctly entering all of the information in the AOE save the file with a meaningful name such as "AOE\_" followed by the project TCAC number or property name.

Example: AOE\_CA-2005-999.xls or AOE\_RollingHillApt.xls

### **SUBMITTING AN AOE FORM**

There are 2 options for submitting an AOE Form:

- Email the completed AOE Form to: TCAC@treasurer.ca.gov or;
- Only those projects with no computer access can submit a hard copy of the AOE Form to the attention of: Quang Le at 915 Capitol Mall, Room 485, Sacramento, CA 95814.

# **DUE DATE**

• Monday, May 19, 2014